

and motorcycle assigned to the Police Department's Traffic Division. This Division is tasked with city wide traffic and other law enforcement activities and focuses along all major thoroughfares and arterials. By initiating the program with the Traffic Division, full coverage of the entire City will be achieved. The implementation of the digital image storage system and in car cameras will increase officer safety and provide high quality documentation and evidence of police activity. This will translate into an increase in successful prosecutions and citizen safety. Local funding shortage/issues have kept this program from being implemented. Due to the technical nature of the program, a full time position will be required to manage and maintain the system. The City of San Antonio will hire a full time Technician as a matching portion of the program. Salary and benefits for such a position are estimated at \$55,000 per year. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Requesting Member: Congressman LAMAR SMITH

Bill Number: H.R. 2487

Account: DOJ—OJP—Byrne

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Texas State University—San Marcos (on behalf of the City of Lakeway Police Department)

Address of Requesting Entity: 601 University Drive, San Marcos, TX 78666

Description of Request: I have secured \$1,300,000 for Texas State University's ALERRT Program. ALERRT seeks funding to train additional police officers and to further promote the nationally standardized format and train-the-trainer capacity to meet the training needs of the more than 16,000 police departments across the nation. This valuable training will allow first responding patrol officers to more effectively deal with acts of violence before they evolve into full-blown, national tragedies. Funding will allow for better-trained law enforcement agents and safer communities. ALERRT provides first responders with the tactics they will need to effectively respond to active shooter situations. Currently, there are 423 requests pending for ALERRT training. Additional funding for ALERRT would enable the program to train more patrol officers, including Lakeway Police Department, and thereby improve the safety of our nation's communities. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. DANA ROHRABACHER

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, June 15, 2009

Mr. ROHRABACHER. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the requirements of the Republican Conference of the House, I am submitting for the RECORD the following information regarding earmarks I received, which were included in the reported version of H.R. 2847, the "Commerce, Justice, Science and Related Agencies Appropriations Act of 2010."

Requesting Member: Congressman DANA ROHRABACHER (CA—46)

Bill Number: H.R. 2847

Name of Project: Virtual Interactive Training Simulator

Account: Department of Justice, OJP—Byrne

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: The Criminal Justice Training Center, Golden West College, Huntington Beach, CA

Address of Requesting Entity: 15744 Golden West Street, Huntington Beach, CA 92647

Description of Request: I received \$900,000 for Golden West College's Virtual Interactive Training Simulator. Funds will be used for purchase of a virtual training facility for regional law enforcement. The simulator offers a cost-effective approach by creating an engaging virtual training solution. The system immerses the trainee in a realistic 3-D environment, with the sense of immersion being enhanced both by the high-fidelity situational rendering and by the ease of navigating through the environment using simple controls mounted on the tether-free simulated weapons. It is my understanding funds will be used consistent with the following manner:

For the system hardware, software and simulated weapons: \$463,432

For the trailer classroom: \$252,221

Truck with towing package: \$66,623

Training of instructors on virtual training system: \$58,513

Twelve training databases and scenarios: \$109,211

Requesting Member: Congressman DANA ROHRABACHER (CA—46)

Bill Number: H.R. 2847

Name of Project: Asian Criminal Enterprise Initiative

Account: Department of Justice, OJP—Byrne

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: City of Westminster, CA

Address of Requesting Entity: 8200 Westminster Blvd., Westminster, CA 92683

Description of Request: I received \$290,000 for the city of Westminster's Asian Criminal Enterprise Initiative. Funding is for the third and final year of federal funding for the city of Westminster's Asian Criminal Enterprise Initiative. The detectives assigned to the Little Saigon Substation are already in operation, focusing on identifying, investigating and dismantling criminal enterprises, having both national and international implications, within the Little Saigon area. Under this project, the Westminster Police Department's Crimes Against Public Unit occupies office space within the Little Saigon district of Westminster, placing a powerful investigative engine into the heart of the area where Asian Criminal Enterprises operate. The city will provide a \$776,000 match. It is my understanding federal funds will be used in the following manner:

Office Space: \$60,000

Utilities: \$12,000

Vehicles/Maintenance: \$44,000

Police Aides: \$31,700

Police Service Officer: \$96,000

IT Support: \$6,000

Travel/Training: \$15,000

Safety Equipment: \$10,000

Operational Funds: \$15,000

Requesting Member: Congressman DANA ROHRABACHER (CA—46)

Bill Number: H.R. 2847

Name of Project: Mobile Live Scan Fingerprint Devices for LA and Orange Counties

Account: Department of Justice, COPS Tech

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: California Department of Justice, Sacramento CA

Address of Requesting Entity: 1300 I Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

Description of Request: I received \$100,000 for the California Department of Justice's Mobile Live Scan Fingerprint Devices. Funds will be used for a Justice Information Sharing initiative called "Vision 2015" that will significantly enhance the quality and usability of criminal justice identification and records information maintained by the state. The project will include the deployment of mobile Live Scan devices for use in police vehicles that will allow officers to capture fingerprint identification and arrest information during the citation and/or arrest of a subject. It is my understanding the California Department of Justice has allocated \$3.8 million for this project. It is further my understanding that federal funds will be used consistent with the following manner:

\$210,000—purchase and deployment of live scan devices for law enforcement vehicles in LA and Orange Counties.

\$140,000—purchase and installation of necessary software/infrastructure for CA DOJ and local courts.

IN RECOGNITION OF THE PASSING OF LANE GILCHRIST, MAYOR OF GULF BREEZE, FLORIDA

HON. JEFF MILLER

OF FLORIDA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, June 15, 2009

Mr. MILLER of Florida. Madam Speaker, I rise to honor Lane Gilchrist, Mayor of Gulf Breeze, Florida, who passed away on June 12, 2009. Mayor Gilchrist served the people of Northwest Florida with honor and distinction, and I am humbled to recognize this community leader.

Lane Gilchrist spent a lifetime serving others. After graduating from Auburn University in 1958, Lane joined the United States Navy. He spent over twenty years both on active duty and in the reserve, retiring in 1979 as a Lieutenant Commander. He also began a career at Gulf Power, and quickly rose through the company to become Fuel and Environmental Affairs Manager. Mr. Gilchrist spent 35 years with Gulf Power, retiring in 1996.

In 1982, Lane Gilchrist was elected to the City Council of Gulf Breeze. With a salary of only one dollar a year, the city council is truly a place for those who want to give back to their community. After serving as Mayor Pro Tem for ten years, Mr. Gilchrist became mayor in 1992 where he remained ever since. In fact, Mayor Gilchrist was one of the longest serving active public officials in Florida. His dedication to the people of his community was superb. As mayor, Mr. Gilchrist guided Gulf Breeze through four devastating hurricanes—Erin and Opal in 1995, and Ivan and Dennis in 2004 and 2005. His leadership through these trying times will be forever remembered by our community.

The people of Gulf Breeze have many reasons to be proud of Lane Gilchrist, and I am honored to be able to recognize such a great leader and friend. My wife Vicki and I will keep his entire family, especially his wife, Suzie, and sons, Lane, Jr. and Michael, in our prayers. Mayor Gilchrist will be missed by all of us in Northwest Florida.

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. KAY GRANGER

OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, June 15, 2009

Ms. GRANGER. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I, KAY GRANGER, submit the following information regarding earmarks I received as part of the bill making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce and Justice, and Science, and Related Agencies for the fiscal year ending September 20, 2010, and for other purposes (H.R. 2847).

For the project titled "Child Abuse Training Programs for Judicial Personnel: Victims Act Model Court Project" in H.R. 2847, OJP-Byrne Discretionary Grants account, the legal name and address of the requesting entity is the National Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges, 1041 North Virginia Street, Third Floor, Reno, Nevada 89503. The \$1,875,000 in the bill for this project will be used in planning and programming for work in Model Courts and in jurisdictions nationwide, including site-based and local, regional and national interdisciplinary training programs; Model Court site visits; Model Court cross-site visits; All-Sites Meetings; outreach to national State Court Improvement Programs; direct technical assistance to Model Courts and other jurisdictions nationwide; mentoring of non-Model Court jurisdictions; publications for national dissemination; research to evaluate Model Court work; and networking with national organizations. This project focuses on improving court practice in handling child abuse and neglect cases in jurisdictions across the country, and will have significant impact on the over 513,000 children in the nation's foster care systems. This juvenile justice prevention model has provided the ability to courts to not only improve their practice, but to provide long-term solutions to children and families. Through judicial education, strategic planning, evaluation and technical assistance (TA), this project has resulted in reducing the time in the system for children in foster care and the numbers of children in care in jurisdictions across the country, and has improved the quality of care children receive while under the court's jurisdiction. The National Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges is supported by a number of funders both federal, state and private; and national and state-based that supports related work. Supplemental funding for this project has been applied for in the past, as NCJFCJ continually seeks a variety of funding sources for its projects.

For the project titled "Advanced Law Enforcement Rapid Response Training (ALERRT)" in H.R. 2847, OJP-Byrne Discretionary Grants account, the legal name and address of the requesting entity is the Texas State University, 601 University Drive, San Marcos, Texas 78666. The \$1,300,000 in the bill for this project will enable Texas State University to build ALERRT's Train-The-Trainer capacity to meet the training needs of the more than 650,000 law enforcement agents across the nation. Since 2002, ALERRT has trained more than 16,000 first responding patrol officers. It is an ongoing project to ensure that law enforcement officers have the most up-to-date training available on how to effectively respond to, address, and stop an active

shooter. Funding will enable the program to be established as a national training system; to further build train-the-trainer capacity; to enhance retention of learned skill by former students; to provide valuable research and evaluation to improve first responder abilities; and to provide investigative training and support for evolving threats. Texas State will provide any required matching funds.

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. JOHN BOOZMAN

OF ARKANSAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, June 15, 2009

Mr. BOOZMAN. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the House Republican standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding earmarks I received as part of H.R. 2487—the Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2010.

Requesting Member: Congressman JOHN BOOZMAN

Bill Number: H.R. 2487

Account: DOJ, OJP-Byrne

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Criminal Justice Institute (CJI) at the University of Arkansas, 7723 Colonel Glen Road, Little Rock, AR 72204

Address of Requesting Entity: see above

Description of Request: The funding of \$600,000 for the Arkansas School Resource Officer Program will be used to create a uniform School Resource Officer Program for Arkansas, which currently has no uniform standards, training guidelines or certification requirements for School Resource Officers. The funds will provide education and training for SRO's and school officials and provide safe school on-site assessments of Arkansas schools.

Requesting Member: Congressman JOHN BOOZMAN

Bill Number: H.R. 2487

Account: DOJ, COPS-Meth

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Criminal Justice Institute (CJI) at the University of Arkansas, 7723 Colonel Glen Road, Little Rock, AR 72204

Address of Requesting Entity: see above

Description of Request: The funding of \$575,000 for the Arkansas Methamphetamine Education and Training Project will be used to provide the Arkansas law enforcement community with methamphetamine-focused courses that emphasize officer awareness and safety, effective management and investigation of methamphetamine-related cases, and the identification and rescue of Arkansas's methamphetamine-affected children.

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. LOUIE GOHMERT

OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, June 15, 2009

Mr. GOHMERT. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding earmarks I received as part of H.R. 2847, the Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act of 2010.

Science, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act of 2010.

Texas Cyber Security Research and Training Institute Project. Department of Justice, OJP-Byrne. The University of Texas at Tyler, 3900 University Boulevard, Tyler, Texas 75799, \$529,000 to conduct research in conjunction with Mississippi State University on petroleum industry computer security and train law enforcement personnel in computer forensics. As cyber technology has progressed and gained importance internationally, the risk of security breaches and cyber related crime has dramatically increased, putting our nation at extreme risk to neutralization of our ability to produce and utilize energy. This project provides for instruction and training to provide a line of defense against these increased technological risks.

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. RODNEY ALEXANDER

OF LOUISIANA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, June 15, 2009

Mr. ALEXANDER. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding earmarks I received as part of the Commerce, Justice Science, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2010, H.R. 2847.

Congressman RODNEY ALEXANDER

H.R. 2847

Department of Commerce—NOAA ORF

Louisiana State University located at 156 Thomas Boyd Hall, Baton Rouge, LA 70803.

The Louisiana Geodetic Spatial Reference Center; \$700,000. The goal of this project is to establish a Coastal Risk Management Institute to build the practices associated with living in coastal environments in the US and around the world through new partnerships in science, art and architecture and policy with engineering that reduces coastal hazards and enhances societal resiliency. This goal of the Institute is made possible by the alignment of coastal resiliency, infrastructure development and emergency management. Coastal resiliency is providing communities with accurate guidance of risks and ways that regional planning through housing development, landscape architecture, transportation systems and policy can be integrated to building smarter neighborhoods in the future to cope with increasing challenges of coastal landscapes. Infrastructure development includes designing both built and natural assets of coastal regions that must be integrated to provide protection, restoration, and economic development in ways that provide for more sustainable development. Emergency management includes forecasting, preparing, responding and mitigating the disaster events that occur in coastal regions. You can see how all three features of the proposed Coastal Risks Management Institute that is integrated to focus on reducing the risk of living and doing business in our critically important coastal margins is of national interests. The institute will consist of the following: LSU Coastal Sustainability Studio—A think tank that will harness earth, ecological and environmental systems research with engineering and landscape architecture to develop new concepts, knowledge, skills and